
THE

Rose Garden

AT GUSSIE FIELD WATTERWORTH PARK

FARMERS BRANCH, TX



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The Rose Garden at Gussie Field Watterworth Park is home to more than 400 different roses and is the perfect scenic location for your next event.

RENTAL RATES

Farmers Branch Resident Rentals

Deposit	Rental Fee
\$200	\$100/hr - 2 hr minimum

Non-Resident Rentals*

Deposit	Rental Fee
\$200	\$50/hr - 2 hr minimum

* One of two conditions must be met for non-residents or organizations not based in Farmers Branch to be eligible to rent the Garden:

Conduct a minimum of \$1,000 worth of business at a Farmers Branch hotel/motel. Business may include room nights, catering and room rentals.

RESERVATION DETAILS

- The Garden is available for rental 6 am - 10 pm
- Rental time should include set-up and clean-up
- Ceremony style seating between 100 - 150 guests; Various reception options available
- Roses typically bloom in April & October
- Schedule a tour by calling 972-919-2620



RENTAL INFORMATION

Farmers Branch Historical Park

The Historical Park is pleased to offer a variety of sites available for private rental activities. The Park offers the 1890s Church, 1937 Dodson House, Gazebo and patio with serving kitchen, and grounds which include the meadows and/or Farmers Branch Rose Garden for the use and pleasure of those renting the facilities for events such as weddings, family reunions, meetings and more.

General Regulations

- ∞ Parking is free and is limited to a capacity of 59 cars. Space is provided inside the park. No parking is allowed on pathways.
- ∞ The City of Farmers Branch is not responsible for weather and recommends having a back up plan for outdoor functions, including rental of an indoor facility like the Dodson House. Refunds will not be given if indoor facilities are rented but not used.
- ∞ Use of tacks, staples, tape, or adhesives of any kind is prohibited.
- ∞ Open flames, including candles, are not permitted.
- ∞ Rice and confetti are prohibited. However, birdseed may be thrown outside.
- ∞ Renter is responsible for all set up and clean up.
- ∞ Smoking is prohibited inside the structures.

Reservations for the next calendar year will be taken beginning on the first Monday in August of the current year starting at 8 a.m.

The Rental Policy in its entirety is available at the Historical Park. Please make an appointment to view structures and/or submit paperwork.



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For more information about having your special event at the Farmers Branch Historical Park, email historicalpark@farmersbranch.info.

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FACILITIES

Farmers Branch Historical Park

Structures and Amenities



1890s Church

- ∞ Weddings and meetings
- ∞ Climate controlled
- ∞ Capacity - 75 to 100 people
- ∞ Pews - 16 pews with eight on each side
- ∞ Grand piano and pump organ available



1937 Dodson House

- ∞ Receptions, parties and meetings
- ∞ Climate controlled
- ∞ Capacity - interior is 1354 sq. feet with a 350 sq. foot patio
- ∞ Kitchen - two bread warmers, two microwaves, refrigerator, and commercial dishwasher



Gazebo and Patio Area

- ∞ Capacity - varies based on reception style
- ∞ 22' X 22' gazebo and a brick patio area

Grounds (includes meadows and/or Farmers Branch Rose Garden)

- ∞ Dodson Meadow - 345' x 162'
- ∞ Gilbert Meadow - 270' x 345'
- ∞ Capacity - varies based on ceremony and/or reception style



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Commercial Kitchen

- ∞ Climate controlled
- ∞ Convection oven, commercial hot plate, dishwasher, refrigerator, freezer, ice machine, and preparation areas

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PRICING

Farmers Branch Historical Park

Farmers Branch Resident

Package 1:

- ∞ \$200 deposit for one structure or use of the Park grounds
- ∞ \$150 per hour with a three-hour event minimum

Package 2:

- ∞ \$300 deposit for two or more structures and use of the Park grounds (Park grounds equals one structure)
- ∞ \$250 per hour with a four-hour event minimum

Farmers Branch Based Non-Profits

Package 1:

- ∞ \$200 deposit for one structure or use of the Park grounds
- ∞ Rental fee waived (after-hour fees apply)

Package 2:

- ∞ \$300 deposit for two or more structures and use of the Park grounds (Park grounds equal one structure)
- ∞ Rental fee waived (after-hour fees apply)



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Non-Resident

Package 1:

- ∞ \$200 deposit for one structure or use of the Park grounds
- ∞ \$75 per hour with a three-hour event minimum *

Package 2:

- ∞ \$300 deposit for two or more structures and use of the Park grounds (Park grounds equal one structure)
- ∞ \$125 per hour with a four-hour event minimum *

All non-residents are required to utilize \$1,000 worth of business with Farmers Branch hotels and motels. Written documentation is required.

Complimentary Services

The following complimentary services are available to guests with a paid reservation:

- ∞ One-hour rehearsal
- ∞ Use of Park grounds for engagement or bridal photos

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***A \$25 per hour fee will be deducted from all deposits for reservations taking place before or after the Historical Park's hours of operation.**

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HOTEL INFORMATION

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VENDORS

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BAKERY

Delicious Cakes

972.233.2133

www.deliciouscakes.com

Meringue Bakery

972.233.5555

www.meringuebakery.com

Panini Bakery

214.363.1225

www.paninicakes.com

*BAR SERVICE

At Your Service Catering & Event Planning

972.272.7770

www.AYSCatering.com

CANDY

2 Sweets Candy Buffet & Event Design

817.368.6773

www.facebook.com/2sweetsevents

CATERING

*CRO Catering

972.888.8141

www.crocatering.com

Creative Cuisine

469.461.0427

www.creativecuisinegroup.com

*CN Catering

214.821.2514

www.cncatering.com

*Culinary Art Catering

972.744.0660

www.culinaryartcatering.com

CATERING

Marshall's Catering & Special Events

972.243.4901

www.marshallsbarbq.com

*Nuevo Leon Mex Mex Restaurant and Catering

972.488.1984

www.nuevoleonmexmex.com

Salt Grass Steakhouse

972.243.9440

www.saltgrass.com

Uncle Willie's Pies

972.576.5582

www.unclewilliespies.com

CLOTHING

Circle Park Bridal Boutique of Addison

972.387.0100

www.circleparkbridal.com

Men's Warehouse

972.788.0645

www.tmw.com

The Dessy Group

800.444.8304

www.dessy.com

FLORIST

A Touch of Heaven Floral Design

214.350.6200

www.atouchofheaven.org

Bent Tree Florist

972.380.0884

www.benttreeflorist.com

In Bloom Flowers

972.256.6637

www.inbloomflowers.com

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MAKE UP ARTIST

Sarah Berry Hair & Makeup Artist
972.375.1303

MUSIC

Mary Fleet - Harpist
972.233.2133

Wes Texas Media
325.227.2883
www.westexasmedia.com

PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEOGRAPHY

Ayles Photography
972.768.3211

www.aylesgroup.com

Green Light Media Services
469.583.6215
www.greenlightmediaweddings.com

Jenny McCann
214.769.1238
www.jennymccann.com

PHOTOBOOTH

Texas Photobooth
469.853.9814
www.texas-photobooth.com

PLANNING

BJ's Event Planning & Decorating
469.337.5003
www.bjseventplanninganddecorating.com

Keystone Events
469.322.9470
www.keestoneevents.com

RENTALS & TENTS

Alexander Tent Rentals, Inc.
972.247.8556
www.alexandertent.com

Dallas Party Tent and Event
972.602.3303
www.dallaspartytentandevent.com

Signature Garment Care & Linen Service
214.698.8400
www.signituregarmentcare.com

United Rent-All

972.492.0550
www.unitedrent-all.com

SPA SERVICES

Carrollton Square Salon & Spa
972.486.1810
www.carrolltonspa.com

TRANSPORTATION

Romantic Remembrances
972.494.2182
www.romanticremembrances.com

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PHOTOGRAPHY

Farmers Branch Historical Park

Are you a photographer looking for a unique backdrop for photos?

The 27-acre Farmers Branch Historical Park is full of unique photo settings, from the exterior of 10 historic structures to many landscaped flower beds. The Farmers Branch Historical Park welcomes all photographers interested in using the Park as a backdrop for their photos. All photographers interested must read the Park's Photography Policy, complete the photography registration form and pay the appropriate fees. To request a form please contact Kim Jolly Chapman at 972.919.8730 or kim.chapman@farmersbranch.info.

Photography as a Part of a Scheduled Reservation:

The Historical Park may be used as a backdrop for photos or video prior to and during a scheduled reservation (for the reservation party only) at no additional charge.

Professional/Non-Commercial Photography:

The Farmers Branch Historical Park may be used as a backdrop for family portraits or professional photography shoots. Professional photographers shooting family portraits or non-commercial images will pay an annual fee of \$100 for the privilege of using the Historical Park as a backdrop for their business for the ensuing 12 months. Professional photographers must schedule their appointments with the Historical Park staff to ensure there is no conflict with other renters or pre-scheduled events or activities. After-hour shoots are available at the standard hourly rental rate. Please contact the Historical Park staff for those rates.

Commercial Photography:

The Historical Park may be used as a backdrop for a commercial photo shoot. A security deposit and hourly rate will apply. Additional permission must be obtained in advance if any image of the Historical Park is used for promotion of a project. Permission will not be granted for images to be used as a symbol or logo. The Historical Park will be presented with a gratis copy of the final work. One vehicle will be allowed to park inside the main grounds of the Historical Park only if the vehicle is used to facilitate changing clothes for the shoot. If a vehicle will be needed inside the main grounds during the shoot, you must notify the Historical Park staff at the time of your reservation to ensure that there are no potential conflicts. All additional rules and regulations apply.



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COMMEMORATIVE BRICKS

JOHN AND BETTY
DODD

ALVA CARTWRIGHT
NATIVE OF F.B.
1918

MAYOR BOB & DEE
PHELPS
2006

FRIENDS
OF THE
HISTORICAL PARK

WALTER E.
DAVIS
1903-19

HELEN C.
DAVIS
1908

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The Farmers Branch Historical Park bricks are sold as a fundraiser for the Friends of the Farmers Branch Historical Park and are permanently placed in the pathway between the Old Church and the Gilbert House at the Historical Park.

Show support for the Historical Park or pay tribute to a special friend or family member for the cost of \$50 per brick. You will be notified when your brick(s) are installed.

Please return bottom portion with your brick payment.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Amount Paid \$: _____ Check Number: _____

ORDER #

Make checks/money orders payable to: Friends Of The Farmers Branch Historical Park

Send Orders to: Friends of the Farmers Branch Historical Park
P.O. Box 810801
Farmers Branch, Texas 75381

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LINE 3 (16 LETTERS/SPACES, INCLUDING PUNCTUATION)



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